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TAGS: ENRS, ETRN, NL

SUBJECT: ROTTERDAM TANKER ARRIVALS

REF: STATE 241172

1. INFORMATION REQUESTED REFTEL HAS BEEN COMPILED BY ROTTERDAM PORT AUTHORITY SINCE MID-OCTOBER FOR SUBMISSION PERSONALLY TO MINISTER OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS LUBBERS. WE HAVE APPLIED THROUGH MINECON DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF ENERGY FOR COPIES AND HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT APPROVAL MAY BE FORTHCOMING. WE WILL FOLLOW THROUGH WITH LUBBERS DURING DEC 17 MEETINGS WITH UNDER SECRETARY DONALDSON. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT DATA ON POINT (C), PORT OF DEPARTURE, MAY NOT BE GIVEN TO US, HOWEVER, BECAUSE THIS IS REGARDED AS OF EXTREME SENSITIVITY BY DUTCH IN PRESENT SITUATION.

2. FOR TRENDLINE PURPOSES, CONGEN ROTTERDAM WILL CABLE EARLY NEXT WEEK CUMULATIVE FIGURES FOR JAN-JUNE 1973. DATA ARE ALREADY AVAILABLE IN WASHINGTON ON CRUDE OIL MOVEMENTS FROM REPORTING BY ROTTERDAM UNDER CERP 080 "INTERNATIONAL GOODS TRAFFIC IN PORT OF ROTTERDAM". THESE REPORTS WERE TERMINATED IN OCTOBER, 1973, HOWEVER, IN COMPLIANCE WITH OM FROM COMMERCE DATED OCT 17.

3. END USER AGENCIES SHOULD RECOGNIZE THAT ROUGHLY 40 PERCENT OF TANKERS ENTERING OR LEAVING ROTTERDAM CONTAIN BULK LIQUID

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PRODUCTS OTHER THAN PETROLEUM. IT SHOULD ALSO BE RECOGNIZED THAT

THERE IS TANKER TRAFFIC TO DUTCH PORTS OTHER THAN ROTTERDAM,
NOTABLY AMSTERDAM AND TERNEUZEN.
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